

## William Smith



Bill Smith taught a wide variety of science classes over the course of nearly 25 years, first at Kearns High School and later as Chairman of the Science Department at Hunter High School, and both his peers and his students felt that he did it exceptionally well. His honors include the Kearns High School Teacher of the Year and Granite School District Teacher of the Year awards, the Utah State Board of Education Outstanding Service to Education Award, and the Tandy Technology Scholar Outstanding Teacher, Champion of the Classroom Award, among others.

The recipient of numerous fellowships and grants that have taken him from Berkeley to Princeton in order to continue his training and broaden his experience, Bill assumed the responsibility for supervising science education in the Granite School District as the K-12 Science Curriculum Specialist in 1997. He is credited with engineering a model lab classroom through which teachers can observe and learn to incorporate the best instructional practices in their own classrooms. An athletic team coach and advisor to many student activities over the years, he still finds time to direct the Granite District Science Fair.